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EX PARTE COMMUNICATION

Magalie R. Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petitions for Emergency Relief Regarding
Release of the 855 Toll Free Code
CC Docket No. ~~955-155~~ 955-155
File No. NSD-L-00-249

Dear Ms. Salas:

On March 2, 2001, the undersigned counsel, representing the Toll Free Number Coalition, attended a meeting at the Commission called by the Commission's to discuss the concerns raised by Responsible Organizations ("RespOrgs") in the above-captioned proceedings. Attending the meeting, in addition to the undersigned counsel, were Yog Varma, Deputy Bureau Chief; Diane Griffin Harmon, Deputy Chief of the Bureau's Network Services Division; Leslie Selzer, Senior Economist of the Network Services Division; Marty Schwimmer, Attorney for the Network Services Division; Brent Weingardt and Gregory Whiteaker of the law firm of Bennet & Bennet, representing the Toll Free Commerce Coalition; and, by telephone, Robert Tate, representing the Toll Free Commerce Coalition, and David Greenhaus, representing the Toll Free Number Coalition. Also in attendance, at the

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invitation of the Common Carrier Bureau, was Steven S. Levinn, of CSF Corporation.

During the meeting, representatives of the Toll Free Number Coalition and of the Toll Free Commerce Coalition (the "Coalitions") restated their positions as to why the current procedures for distributing toll free numbers, as administered by DSMI, does not meet the Commission's requirements. The Coalitions indicated that the record to date does not reflect that DSMI has cured the problems that have plagued earlier rollouts of toll free numbers, and that the Commission should carefully consider the DSMI's representations that these problems will not recur. The undersigned counsel distributed to meeting participants a copy of the attached SMS/800 Bulletin Number SMS-01-41, dated February 26, 2001.

Sincerely,



Eric Fishman
Counsel to
Toll Free Number Coalition

cc: Chairman Michael Powell
Commissioner Harold Furchtgott-Roth
Commissioner Gloria Tristani
Commissioner Susan Ness
Dorothy Atwood, Chief, Common Carrier Bureau
Yog R. Varma, Common Carrier Bureau
Martin Schwimmer, Network Services Division
Diane Griffin Harmon, Network Services Division
Leslie J. Selzer, Network Services Division
L. Charles Keller, Network Services Division
Steven S. Levinn
Parties of Record

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Bulletin Number: SMS-01-41
Date: 26-Feb-01
Subject: Number Administration Summary Reports for Saturday, 2/24/2001 as of 11:59 PM, Eastern Time

	STATUS										
	WORKING	ASSIGNED	RESERVED	DISCONNECT	TRANSIT	UNAVAIL	SUSPEND	TOTAL NUMBERS IN USE	PERCENT IN USE	SPARE	TOTAL POOL (In Use + Spare)
NPA: 800	7,453,848	26,040	20,824	180,731	15,903	1,488	160	7,698,994	99.86%	11,006	7,710,000
NPA: 866	1,566,607	10,872	90,728	85,346	35,137	1,500	29	1,790,219	22.43%	6,189,781	7,980,000
NPA: 877	6,423,244	15,222	53,597	273,512	168,510	1,492	26	6,935,603	86.91%	1,044,397	7,980,000
NPA: 888	7,650,229	14,125	19,451	206,295	80,412	1,500	29	7,972,041	99.90%	7,959	7,980,000
TOTAL:	23,093,928	66,259	184,600	745,884	299,962	5,980	244	24,396,857	77.08%	7,253,143	31,650,000

CLOSED 800-NXX'S: ALL 0XX AND 1XX CODES (000-199)
202; 212; 271; 302; 312; 389; 402; 412; 415; 502; 512; 534; 602; 612; 623; 702; 703; 712; 740; 744; 751; 802; 812; 855; 902; 904; 907; 911; 912

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555; 911

CLOSED 888-NXX'S: ALL 0XX AND 1XX CODES (000-199)
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WEEK ENDING DATE	TOTAL NUMBERS IN USE	SPARE	GROWTH/WEEK	NUMBERS RESERVED DURING WEEK	NUMBERS SPARED FROM DISCONNECT	NUMBERS SPARED FROM RESERVED	NUMBERS SPARED FROM UNAVAILABLE	TOTAL SPARED DURING WEEK
2/3/01	24,384,770	7,265,230	37,763	113,894	48,390	27,741	0	76,131
2/10/01	24,410,100	72,399,000	25,330	115,941	60,706	29,905	0	90,611
2/17/01	24,402,363	7,247,637	-7,737	85,507	72,189	21,055	0	93,244
2/24/01	24,396,857	7,253,143	-5,506	91,289	67,090	29,705	0	96,795

(A) Total Spare Numbers (2/24/2001) 7,253,143
 (B) Average Growth/Week (over the last 4 weeks): 12,463
 (C) A+B = 582.0 Weeks (Up to 4/20/2012)

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